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A TRIBUTE TO THE HUSKIE

Because the mascot of Breckenridge High School is the Huskie dog, the Annual Staff has decided that it would be appropriate to give their readers the picture of a year at Breckenridge High through the eyes of the Huskie.

In attempting to do this, the staff has found that the Huskie would see the teachers as masters, and the students as thoroughbreds. Learning to type, farm, cook, etc. would be training. The various clubs of the school could very well be kennel clubs. Finally, the Huskie sees himself taking part in sports - a champion, indeed!

DEDICATION

Pauline Town

A person that the "Huskies" of Breckenridge High School can be proud of is Mrs. Pauline Town. Not only has she been the advisor for the Student Council, Huskie Howler staff, senior class and this "Blue and Gold" annual, she has been director of both the junior and senior plays.

To Mrs. Town we dedicate this 1955 annual in hopes that it will always remain a tribute to the hard work, and "always helpful" attitude that she has put forth in behalf of BHS for the seven years that she has taught here. She has won the respect and admiration of all who have known her.

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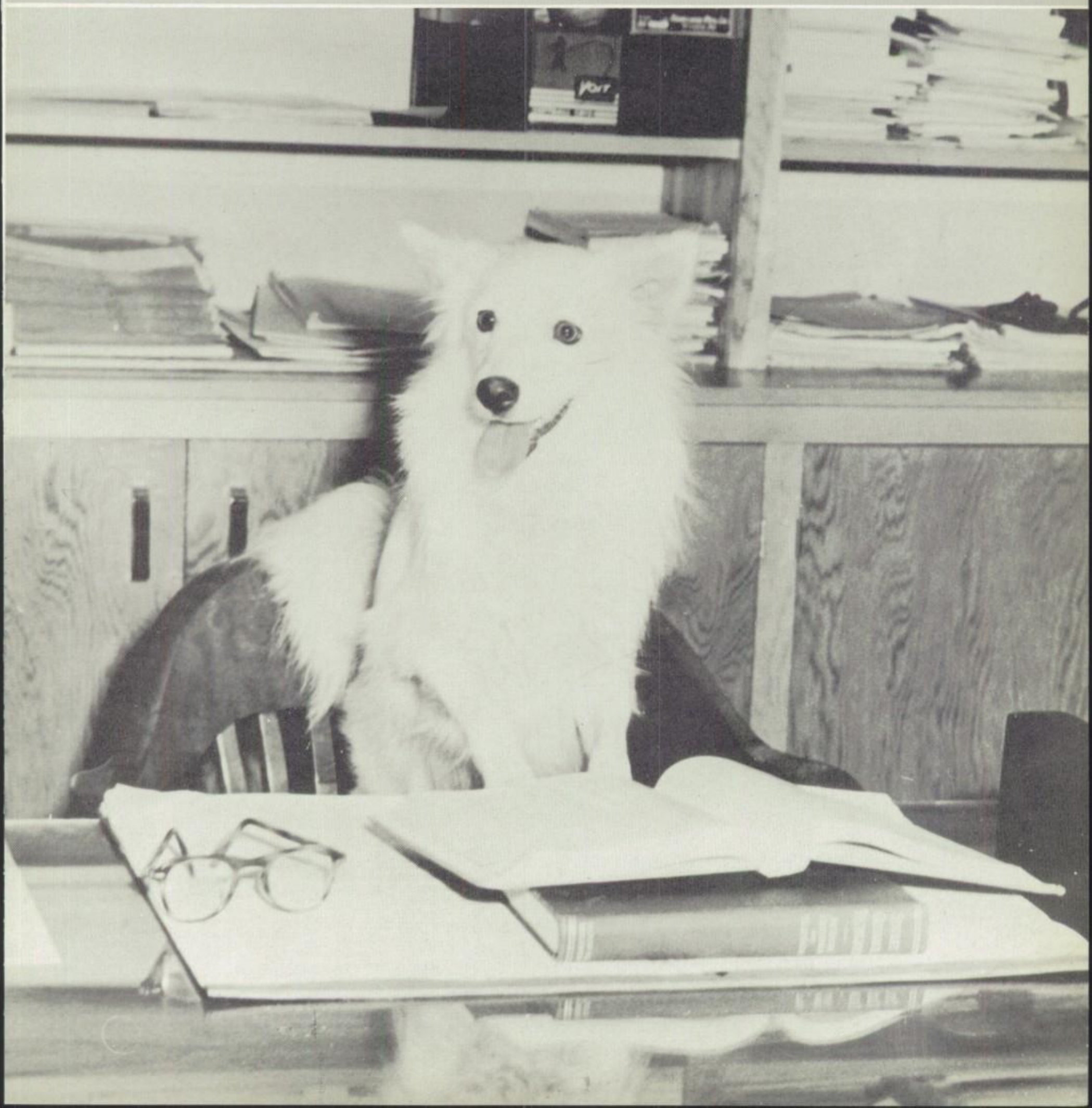


BOARD OF EDUCATION

President-Norman J. Roth

Secretary-Earl E. Guthrie

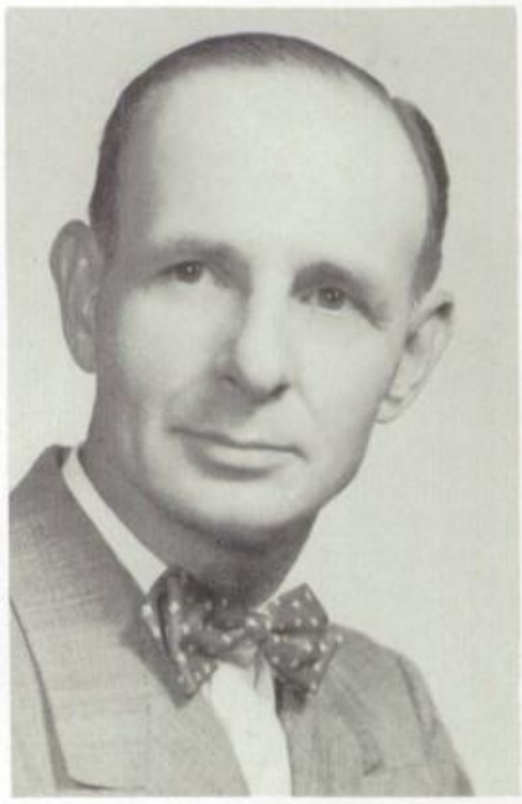
Treasurer-Louis Federspiel

Under the direction of this group of men who are known as the Board of Education, the Breckenridge Huskies may well be proud of their advancement in education and growth in enrollment.

Because of the time and effort put forth by the board, Breckenridge has a new building, a modern shop - ag and home - economics department, and a lighted athletic field.

Trustee-Edward O. Crawford

Trustee-Lawrence E. Wright



SUPERINTENDENT
J. R. CHILDS

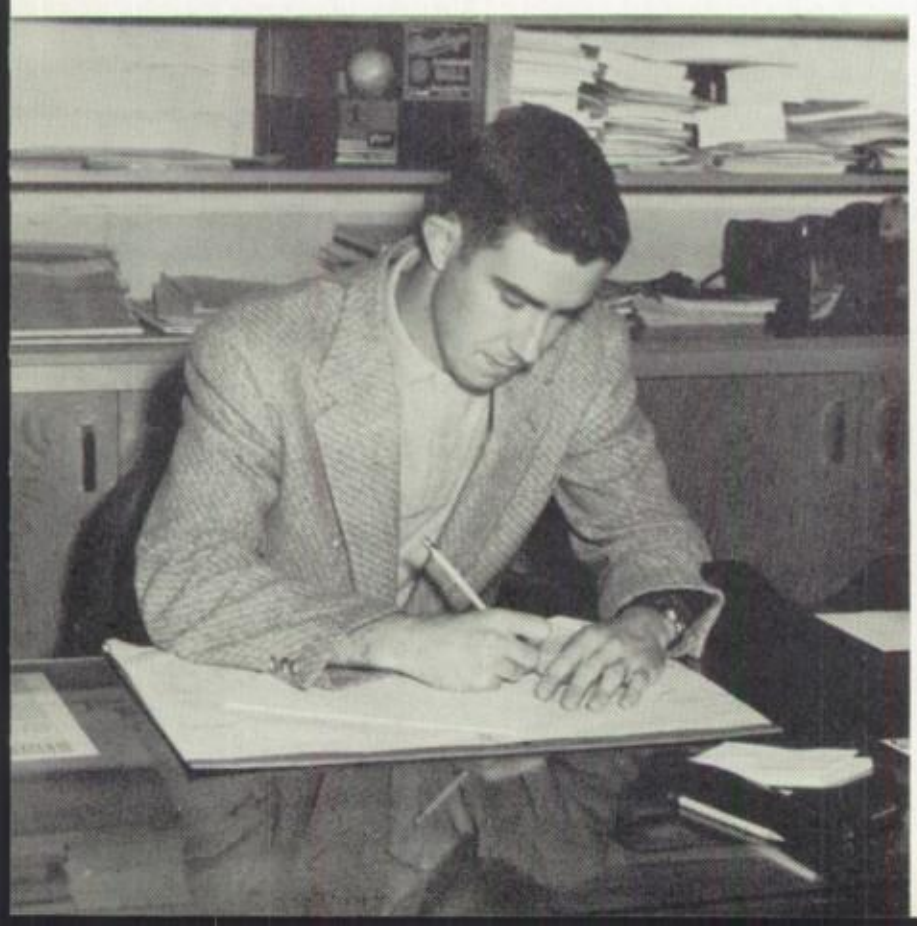
Mr. Childs has, in his four years of service as superintendent of Breckenridge High School, established a firm place for himself in the hearts of the faculty and students of B.H.S.

The students and faculty have found his advice wise and helpful in all the problems they have taken to him.

Under his expert guidance, Breckenridge can now boast of having one of the finest class "C" schools in the state.

MRS. ROSANN HOLMES

Office Secretary



PRINCIPAL
SAMUEL A. GRAVITT

Mr. Gravitt is probably better known as the band director since this has been his position for the four years that he has been around Breckenridge. This year he was promoted to principal and he seems to be getting along fine in this capacity, too.

He certainly has done a fine job with the band and this particular Huskie feels confident that he will fill the position of principal as well.

HIGH SCHOOL

OTTO W. BACON
Graduated from Nebraska State Teacher's College, Wayne Nebraska...teaches shop and physics ... has a dashshund named Heidi...is the father of a little boy...is the holder of a B.S. degree.

MRS. IVAH BALDWIN
Received an A.B. degree from Alma College...teaches Latin, English, and History...has the qualities of being very kind and courteous...enjoys listening to symphonies.

ROBERT A. BEAN
Hails from Central Michigan College... likes to eat black-eyed peas cooked with hog jowls...has a speech class...holds a B.S. degree...plans to get married some day...his pet is a parakeet.

RICHARD H. BENDER
Attended the Emmaual Missionary College at Berrien Springs, Michigan ... holder of an A.B. degree...seventh and eighth grade teacher...has two children ...fixes radios and televisions in his spare time.

HAROL R. BEISEL
Is a graduate of Northeastern Oklahoma State Teacher's College...history instructor...assistant coach...has a southern drawl...favorite song is "Dixie"...has a little girl, Susan...received a B.S.E. degree from college.

FACULTY

MRS. WILMA BEISEL
Harol's wife...teaches commercial work...a southern gal...with a B.S.E. degree from Northeastern Oklahoma State Teacher's College.

GEORGE A. BUCHER
A graduate of California Teacher's College, California, Pennsylvania... sells insurance...has a little girl and boy... teaches social science... has quite a time teaching pupils how to drive.

MISS SHIRLEY COURTADE
Graduated from Central Michigan Teacher's college ... enjoys drinking coffee...likes to cook...does fancywork ...a newcomer at Breckenridge...holder of a B.S. degree.

WILLIAM A. DRAKE
Received a B.S. degree from Michigan State College...teaches vocational agriculture... likes to go to Saginaw... drives a new chevrolet...enjoys hunting, fishing and skating...loves to eat steak.

MRS. BERYL LEWIS
A graduate of University of Michigan... with a B.M. degree...taught here in 41-43...favorite food is lobster...has two girls.

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

MISS PATRICIA O'MALLEY
Irish eyes are smiling on this graduate of Michigan State College...has a B.S. degree ... teaches home economics ... hometown is Dexter, Michigan ... instructor of girls' athletics...likes to hear "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue".

FRANK L. SINCLAIR
Has a B.S. degree from Michigan State Normal...and a M.A. from Michigan State College...doesn't like students who chew gum...drives a school bus...enjoys giving surprise tests...father of two girls and a boy.

PAUL L. SOUTHERLAND
Earned his B.S. degree from Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana ... math instructor...reliable coach of all sports ...is the father of a little boy...works in the meat market.

MRS. PAULINE TOWN
Graduated from Alma College with an A.B. degree...has charge of putting out the annual and school paper...directs the senior and junior plays...advisor of the senior class and student council... has a Great Dane named Jippy...likes to eat steak and dance...teaches English.

THE THOROUGHBREDS

SENIORS

Class officers: (left to right) Colene Moore, treasurer; Philip Huntoon, president; Janice Federspiel, secretary. (Absent-Jim Gillis, vice-president).

I've been with this group for four years. I guided them through their freshman initiation, class suppers, Junior and Senior Banquet and Prom, Jr. and Sr. plays.

They also had a few more difficult moments and worries, but always managed to recover with a more vigorous attitude than before.

With the help of their instructors, they managed to gain their share of knowledge along with many enjoyable experiences.

We will miss their vivacious way, and optimistic attitude.

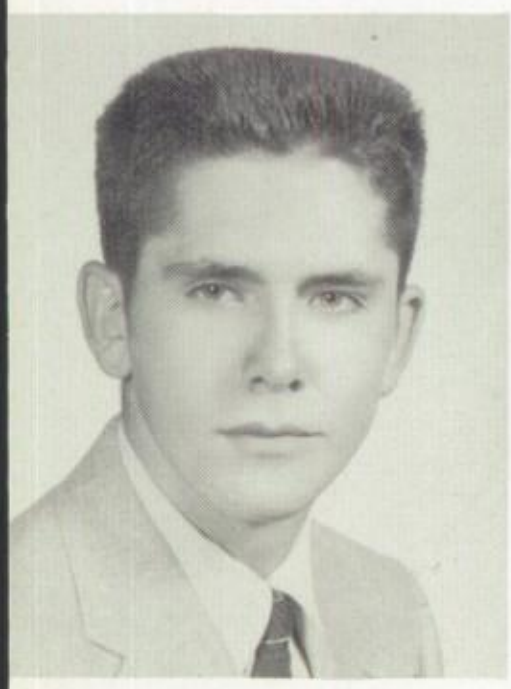
Their leaders in their senior year include: Phil Huntoon, class president; Jim Gillis, Vice president; Janice Federspiel, secretary; and Colene Moore, treasurer. They also had some people who were very instrumental in furthering the efforts of the student council. These include Peter Van Haften, student council president; Joyce Wigglesworth, vice president; Adrain Sanchez, representative; Bob Williams representative; and John Childs, representative.

SENIORS

JOHN CHILDS
John's hobby is taking pictures...plans to be a minister ...very reliable...studies hard.
Camera Club 1,2; Manager-Basketball-Track 2; Junior Play; Senior Play; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Class Secretary 2; Student Council 4; Square Dance Club 2,3.

THOMAS BAYES
works at Halstead's...usually seen where girls are...drives a black Dodge.
FFA 1,2,3,4; Huskie Howler 3.

JOANN COLEMAN
always talking on the telephone...a good worker.
FHA 1,2,3,4; Square Dance Club 2,3; Library 3,4; Student Director of Junior Play; Glee Club 1,2; Huskie Howler 4; Head Librarian 4.



CLARENCE BROCKWAY
a quiet fellow...usually seen taking his sister somewhere... likes to farm.
FFA 1,2,3,4; Taxidermy Club 1.

REX CROSS
plans to own a Bump Shop... seen with Barbara Northrup... graduated in 3 years.
Shop 1,2,3.

LILA MAE BURTCH
loves ice cream...plans to go to Bible College.
Huskie Howler 3; FHA 1,2,4; Bible Club 3,4; Bible Club Pres. 4; Junior Play Student Director; Senior Play Student Director; Annual Staff 4; Library 4; Glee Club 1.

RUTH ANN CURTIS
loves dogs ... has a pretty smile...was on queen's court two years.
Senior Play; Huskie Howler 4; Annual Staff 4; Band 1,2; Softball 1; FHA Secretary 1; FHA 1,2,3; Camera Club 2; Glee Club 1,2.

SENIORS

SHIRLEY EASTMAN
seen with Darwin Toner... likes to dance...loves hillbilly music.
FHA 1,2,3; Huskie Howler 4.

JANICE FEDERSPIEL
likes to play basketball, softball...willing to do things... our hardworking Howler editor...honor student.
Camera Club 2; Senior Play; Junior Play; FHA 1,2,3,4 GAA 2,3,4; Class Secretary 4; Class Vice Pres. 3; GAA Pres. 3; FHA Region Secretary 3; FHA Treasurer 2; FHA Parliamentarian 3; Huskie Howler Editor 4; Annual Staff 4; Glee Club 1.

KENNETH FEDERSPIEL
drives a green Ford...seen often at St. Louis Roller Rink.
FFA 1,2,3; Huskie Howler 3; Annual Staff 4.

BONNIE JEAN FISHER
goes steady with Jim...nice to talk to...brown eyes.
FHA 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; FHA Vice Pres. 3; FHA Reporter 4.

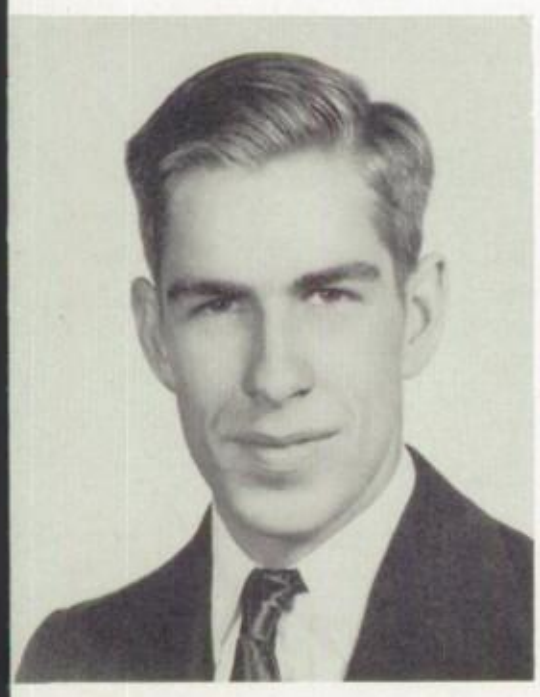
NADEAN FOSTER
rides in a black Chevie with Evert...likes to roller skate... plays a sousaphone.
FHA 1,2,3,4; Camera Club 2; Band 1,2,3,4.

BILL FRANCETIC
likes to polka...out for a good time...plays football.
FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 3,4; Junior Play.

DONALD FRENCH
nice looking ... goes with Janice...likes farming.
FFA 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2,3; Varsity Club 4; All Sports 1,2,3,4; FFA Secretary 4; FFA Reporter 3.

SENIORS

JAMES GILLIS
catcher on the baseball team ...goes steady...industrious.
Varsity Club 3,4; FFA 1,2,3, 4; FFA Treasurer 2; FFA Vice Pres. 3; FFA County Pres. 3; FFA Pres. 4; FFA County Treasurer 4; Student Council Treasurer 3; Class Vice Pres. 4; Class Pres. 2,3; Student Council 2,3; All Sports 1,2, 3,4.



KEITH GILLIS
lives in Wheeler...quiet until you know him...likes to drive old Chevies.
FFA 2,3,4.

GENARO GONZALES
a ladies' man...likes base-ball...has a customized Ford.
Class President 1; Football 1, 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4.

HELEN HAAG
often seen at her Dad's store working...plans to be a secre-tary...plays in the band.
FHA 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4.

JERRY HOLLENBECK
favorite pastime, Beverly We-burg...a hard working guy... runs track.
All Sports 1,2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3, 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4; Huskie Howler 3; Annual Staff 3; Student Council 3; FFA Sen-tinal 2; FFA Treasurer 3; FFA Vice Pres. 4.

CYRIL HOLMES
football player...quiet sorta guy...good physique.
Football 1,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4; FFA 1,2.

EVELYN HOPKINS
Evey has short, blonde hair... likes cheeseburgers ... came here from Midland.
Square Dance Club 3; Junior Play; Senior Play; Cheerlead-er 2; GAA 3,4; Library 3,4; FHA 3.

DALE HOWARD
has curly hair...a good singer ...goes with a cute blonde... well liked by everyone.
Band 1; Boys State 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Square Dance Club 2,3; Varsity Club 3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Class Secretary 1; Square Dance Club Pres. 2; Senior Play.

THERESA HRDLOVICH
likes dogs, especially boxers ...likes sports...going to college.
FHA 1,2,3,4; GAA 2,3,4; Homecoming Queen 4; Library 2; Cheerleader 1,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Huskie Howler 4; Annual Staff 4; GAA Secretary 3; Class Secretary 1.

PHILLIP HUNTOON
works in a garage...Studebaker is his car...likes to eat.
Class Pres. 4; Football 1,2,3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 1; Annual Staff 3; Student Council 4; Huskie Howler 3; Varsity Club 2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Boy's State 3; Student Council Treasurer 4; Varsity Club Secretary-Treasurer 3,4; FFA Treasurer 3; FFA Reporter 3, 4.

MARVIN JUHAS
seen with Pat alot...works at Halstead's too...likes chicken dinners.
Football 1,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 3.

MARILYN KENNETT
a determinded gal...seen at the roller rink...that temper.
Junior Play; Cheerleader 4; FHA 1,2,3; GAA 2,3; Glee Club 1; Band 1,2,3,4.

RICHARD LUTZ
lives in Wheeler...has a girl in Fulton...never has much to say.
FFA 1,2.

ROBERT MARSH
Bob is well liked by everyone ... lots of fun...known as "Whitey".
Square Dance Club 2,3; Square Dance Club Vice Pres. 2; Manager-Athletics 1,2,3; Junior Play; Senior Play.

SENIORS

LARRY MYERS
likes to hunt...used to drive a motorcycle, now a new Ford ...works hard on the farm.
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

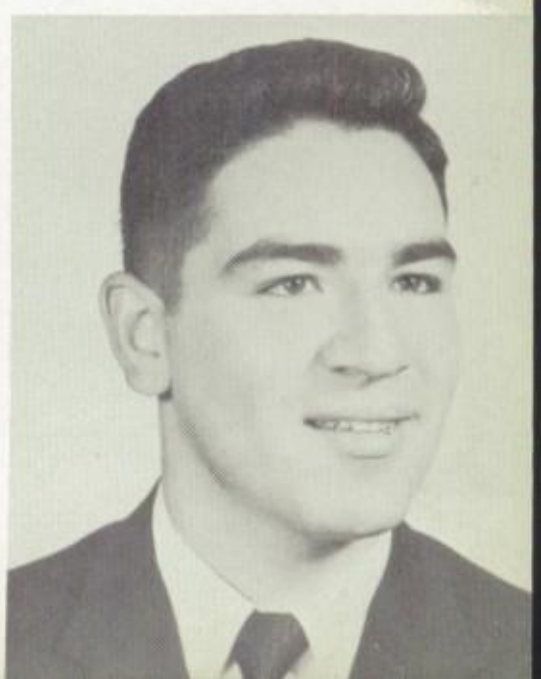
MARILYN MCPHERSON
cute dimples...nice complexion....could talk about anything.
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Huskie Howler 4; Senior Play; G.A.A. 2, 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Library 3,4.

JANET NEAR
lots of poise....plays an accordion..worked in Washington last summer.
F.H.A. 1,2,3; Glee Club 1.

LARRY MILLER
..."Shakey"...broke a bone in his leg during football practice this year...likes all sports ...a swell guy.
All Sports 1,2,3,4; Square Dance Club 2; Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club Pres. 2, 3; Varsity Club Vice Pres. 4; Secretary of Class 3; Class Vice Pres. 2.

GENE NEITZKE
could eat hamburgers any time...favorite sport is baseball...the farm takes up most of his time.
Huskie Howler 4; Annual Staff 4; Football and Basketball, Manager 3; Varsity Club 4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1, 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; Student Council 2.

COLENE MOORE
C. Moore..is always cracking witty jokes..has many friends ...plans to go to college.
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Softball 3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Glee Club 1,2; Annual Staff 4; Band 1,2,4; Huskie Howler Staff 4; F.H.A. Vice Pres. 3; F.H.A. Songleader 3,4; Class Treasurer 3,4; F.H.A. State Parliamentarian 4.



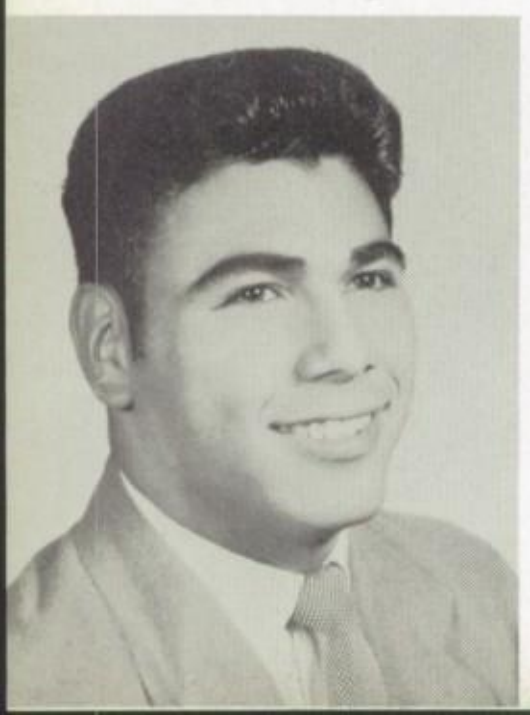
FELIX RAMIREZ
a good sport...a nice guy...a farmer.
Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. Sentinal 3; Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Baseball 1,2.

SENIORS

FRANCES RAMIREZ
Frances...has a nice personality...pretty black hair.
Glee Club 1,2; F.H.A. 1.

SALLY ANN RAY
that Southern drawl...came here from Arkansas...chums with Helen.

DUANE ROOT
better known as "Humphry" ... tips the scales at 225 lbs... works on the farm.
Varsity Club 2,3,4; Junior Play; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. Sentinal 3,4.



ADRAIN SANCHEZ
football captain...nice smile ...friendly...may go to college.
Basketball 3; Football 1,2,3, 4; Baseball 2,3,4; Track 1,2, 3;Varsity Club 1,2,3,4;F.F.A. 1,2; Student Council 4; Varsity Club Pres. 4.

FELIPE SANCHEZ
enjoys movies...his favorite food is fried chicken..friendly to everyone.
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 1,2,3; Football 1,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,3.

RICHARD SANDY
mischievous...has an answer for everything...works for Haag's.

MARILYN SCHAUB
likes to type...plays a steel guitar...blue eyes.
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1, 2; Band 1; G.A.A. 2; Huskie Howler 4; Bible Club 3,4; Bible Club Pres. 3; Bible Club Vice Pres. 4.

SENIORS

PHILLIP SCHOLL
his free time is spent in St. Louis...likes to roller skate... nice looking.
Taxidermy Club 1; Square Dance Club 2; Treasurer of Taxidermy 1; Football 1,2,3, 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4.

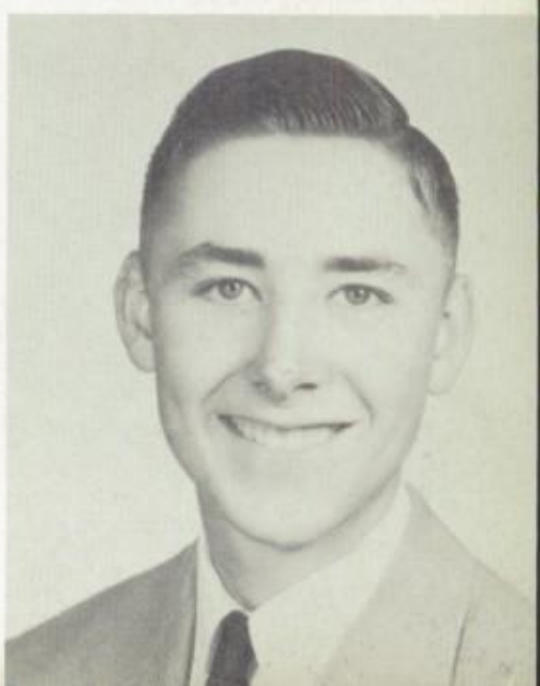
VALDO SHANKEL
baseball pitcher...his spare time taken up by girls...out for a good time.
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Square Dance Club 2,3; Varsity Club 3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 3,4; F.F.A. Secretary 3; F.F.A. Treasurer 4.

PATRICIA SKOLIMOSKI
better known as "Pat"..spends her time with Marvin Juhas... enjoys sewing and cooking.
Glee Club 1; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Library 4; Huskie Howler 3.

GARY SMITH
pals with Larry Myers...quite shy...works on farm.
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Huskie Howler 3.

JOYCE SNELL
a sort of bashful gal...likes to play her trumpet.
F.F.A. 1,2; Huskie Howler 4; Band 3,4; Glee Club 1,2.

DEVAUGN TONER
gets good marks..sort of quiet fellow...has wavy hair... studies hard.



PETER VANHAFTEN
worked hard on this book... wants to be a doctor...never a dull moment when Pete's around.
Band 2,4; Square Dance Club 2; Huskie Howler 4; Annual Editor 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Class Treasurer 2; Student Council President 4; Student Council 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1,3.

SENIORS

PHYLLIS WEAVER
enjoys sewing...went to the state finals in 4-H...a petite gal.
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Huskie Howler 3; Cheerleader 4; Librarian 3,4.

BERTHA WIERMAN
red hair...enjoys reading good books...knows how to blush.
F.H.A. 1,2; Huskie Howler 4.

JOYCE WITTIG
takes things in style...sews her own clothes...a bookworm.
F.H.A. 1,2;Band 1,2,3,4;Huskie Howler 3.

JOYCE WIGGLESWORTH
Joyce's favorite saying is... "I wish I were swimming right now"...neat...works at the hospital in Alma.
Band 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Camera Club 2;Huskie Howler 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Glee Club 1; Annual Staff 4; Student Council 1,4; Student Council Vice President 4; F.H.A. President 4.

NINA WOLFGANG
chums with Janet...bashful... blue eyes.
Glee Club 1,2; F.H.A. 1,2,3.

ROBERT WILLIAMS
Bob enjoys playing football ...goes with Rose...always teasing someone.
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Varsity Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Huskie Howler 3; Student Council 4.

JUNIORS

CLASS OFFICERS: (left to right) Lorraine Flauding, treasurer; Madelyn Rowe, secretary; Beverly Weburg, vice-president; Lawrence Boyer, president.

I was especially proud of the way the juniors handled themselves this year. Under the guidance of genial George Bucher, their class adviser, they experienced the fine feeling of becoming upperclassmen. They were very busy with the presentation of their play, a three act comedy called, "Beauty and the Beef." They spent a great deal of time and effort on the Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet which proved to be a big success.

Phillip Bartlett

Janice Benner

Lawrence Boyer

Duane Carlson

Leone Cornelius

Susan Crawford

JUNIORS

Lloyd Curtis

Duane English

Yvonne English

Lorraine Flauding

Marlyn Foster

Carolyn Furgason

Evert Giles

Maxine Gross

Elsie Guthrie

Lewis Hetherington

Janis Hook

Shirley Houlden

June Huntoon

Le Roy Hynes

Harold Juhas

Leona Kennedy

Dorothy Lutz

Barbara Markley

Gary Mayle

Bonita Miller

Pauline Miller

Judy Millikan

Lois Neal

Nancy Neal

Donna Neitzke

JUNIORS

Marilynn Nelson

Gerald O'Boyle

June Qualls

Nancy Rhoads

George Roberts

Jerome Rohde

Donna Rowe

Madelyn Rowe

Larry Sensabaugh

Richard Shaver

Shirley Shelley

Larry Shimer

Judith Shingleton

Jerry Short

Ray Sitts

Charles Sklener

Darell Toner

Shirley Wallace

Gladys Watson

Beverly Weburg

Harriet Weburg

Francis Whitney

Leona Wirtz

Milton Wright

Agnes Zsoter

CAMERA SHY

Ray Emery

SOPHOMORES

CLASS OFFICERS: (left to right) Patty Zimmerman, treasurer; Judy Marsh, president; Judy Radabaugh, secretary; Russell Cook, vice president.

The sophomore class returned to school in the fall-66 strong. I found that they had settled down somewhat and weren't quite so restless. They got to know me as their mascot and helped improve the school spirit by appearing at more games.

With the help of their class adviser, Frank Sinclair, they added quite a sum to their treasury by selling hot dogs at games and by sponsoring an assembly.

Gerald Aldrich

Patricia Aidrich

Sharon Aldrich

Larry Briggs

Sandra Brockway

Diane Carter

Larry Clark

Shirley Clark

Russell Cook

Linda Cooper

Duane Dice

Helen Doty

Raymond Doyle

Jane Emery

Bennie Fisher

Peggy Fisher

Vivian Gallihugh

Mary Jane Gates

Elma Gay

Marjorie Hoard

Gehl Hoffmeyer

Lois Holmes

Lynn Holmes

Janice Hooks

Joan Hopkins

Jay Hudson

Vance Humm

Joyce Huntoon

Larry Huntoon

Sue Lynn Lawton

Leroy Little

Donald Long

Judy Marsh

Joseph Martinez

SOPHOMORES

CAMERA SHY
Jean Butcher
Eugene Faulman
Suzanne Swope

James Mc Kenzie

Gary Miller

Jerry Morford

Lawrence Morrison

Gaila O'Boyle

Norman Phillips

Ruth Ann Poindexter

Larry Prince

Judy Radabaugh

Duane Ray

John Rohde

Kurt Rotermund

Larry Roth

Junior Sanchez

Raymond Schaub

Janet Shaver

Norma Sitts

Nelson Skutt

Dale Snell

Junior Sperry

Vernon Stonerock

Richard Tester

Georgia Tree

Beatrice Welling

Dawn Wenzel

Wheeler

Kenneth Wirtz

Patty Zimmerman

FRESHMEN

CLASS OFFICERS: (left to right) Gaylord Smith, president; Tom Segovia, treasurer; Charles Dickens, vice-president; Judy Briggs, secretary.

On September 13, 87 bashful freshmen entered the halls of BHS for their first contact with high school work. During the second week of school they elected their class officers as shown above with Barbara Dosson representing the class in the student council.

It didn't take long for this class to look upon me as their school mascot, but they were quite a shock to me because this was the largest class to enter Breckenridge High in my whole lifetime. In fact the class was so large it took three advisers to handle it - Robert Bean, Miss Patricia O'Malley, and Otto Bacon.

FRESHMEN

Thomas Abbott

Kenneth Adamick

Norman Ancel

Gene Andrews

Samuel Andrews

Howard Benner

Lyle Bott

Judy Briggs

Sharon Carter

Judy Clark

Ann Colbry

Joyce Cole

Peggy Cooley

Victoria Cooley

Linda Cromlish

Retha Crosby

Jack Cross

Norman Cruson

Doris Dearth

Charles Dickens

Barbara Dosson

Karen English

Jerry French

Marilyn Furgason

Dean Giles

Larry Gillis

Arnita Gonzalez

Dorothy Gorsuch

Margaret Gross

Roger Halstead

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Leonard Hudson

Dwight Humm

Edith Ann Hynes

Kathleen Jaeckel

Dale Joley

Glenn Juhas

Rose Kitcho

Leroy Knoertzer

Audrey La Mee

Ronald Liebrock

Mary Ann Little

Lester Londry

Lloyd Long

Nyle Lytle

Joseph Markley

Donald Miller

Doris Miller

Tom Moulton

Bob Murvine

Marie Near

Nancy Neitzke

Judy Phillips

Geneva Powell

Donald Ralph

Lorenzo Ramirez

Arthur Rocheleau

Sally Rohde

Joann Rowe

Joseph Sanger

Pauline Schaub

FRESHMEN

Gale Schloneger

Thomas Segovia

Joyce Shaver

Brenda Shingleton

Billy Sines

Virginia Skolimoski

Mary Skutt

Gaylord Smith

Ruby Smith

Arlene Snell

Lorraine Toner

Patrica Toner

Tom Van Haften

Kay Vine

Jacqueline Watson

Rosemary Whiting

Thomas Whiting

Harold Wirtz

Lovell Wittig

Janet Wyeth

CAMERA SHY

Robert Bott

Ronald Prince

Thomas Wale

Rodney Wright

EIGHTH GRADE

Maida Clark
President

Sharon Roberts
Secretary and Treasurer

Karen Rotermund
Vice President

This year's eighth graders did exceptionally well. They sold candy and gum at the basketball and football games to earn money for their class treasury. Their candidate for the queen's float was Maida Clark, while the theme for their Homecoming float was "Sink the Pirates." The class advisor this year was assistant coach Harol Beisel.

Richard Aldrich

Terry Bartlett

Eddy Belles

Richard Bott

Dewey Crawford

Beverly Emery

Anita Engel

Arthur Erskine

Linda Federspiel

Wesley Federspiel

Dorothy French

Doral Gallihugh

EIGHTH GRADE

Leland Harper

James Hartenburg

Eva Kay Hiner

Jess Hollenbeck

Phyllis Holmes

Paula Howard

Bob Lewis

Jack Lewis

Dick Myers

Nancy Northrup

Bob Pershing

Phyllis Pratt

Phillip Roberts

Frank Sanchez

Donald Shelley

Lester St. John

Sandra Tremper

Robert Welch

Dennis Wick

Kimnaloo Willman

Chuck Wolfgang

Duane Wright

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Roy Smith

Loren Wright

Richard Wright

Jerry Zimmerman

Fred Lytle

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Mrs. Jewel Schaede, A.B.
Second Grade

Miss G. Chriswell, B.S.
Third Grade

Mrs. E. Arbogast, Life
Fourth Grade

Mrs. Frances Dosson, B.S.
Fifth Grade

Mrs. Susan Van Page, B.S.
Sixth Grade

Richard Bender, A.B.
Seventh and Eighth
Grade

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Grade Music

Mrs. Ruth Hollenbeck

Mrs. Stella Darling

CUSTODIANS

These hardworking people have the difficult task of keeping the school clean and orderly. I believe they deserve a lot of praise and commendation. They co-operate with the students and faculty and are always ready to lend a helping hand. Mrs. Hollenbeck has worked here three years and Mrs. Darling has worked here two years.

BUS DRIVERS

This group of men is responsible for the transportation at this school. In all kinds of weather I have seen them doing their duty of bringing students to and from school. The school can be proud of their fine work and co-operation.

Left to right: Paul Southerland, Sam Gravitt, Dan Mosher, Cecil Needham, Harol Beisel, Robert Bean, Otto Bacon, Frank Sinclair.

THE TRAINING

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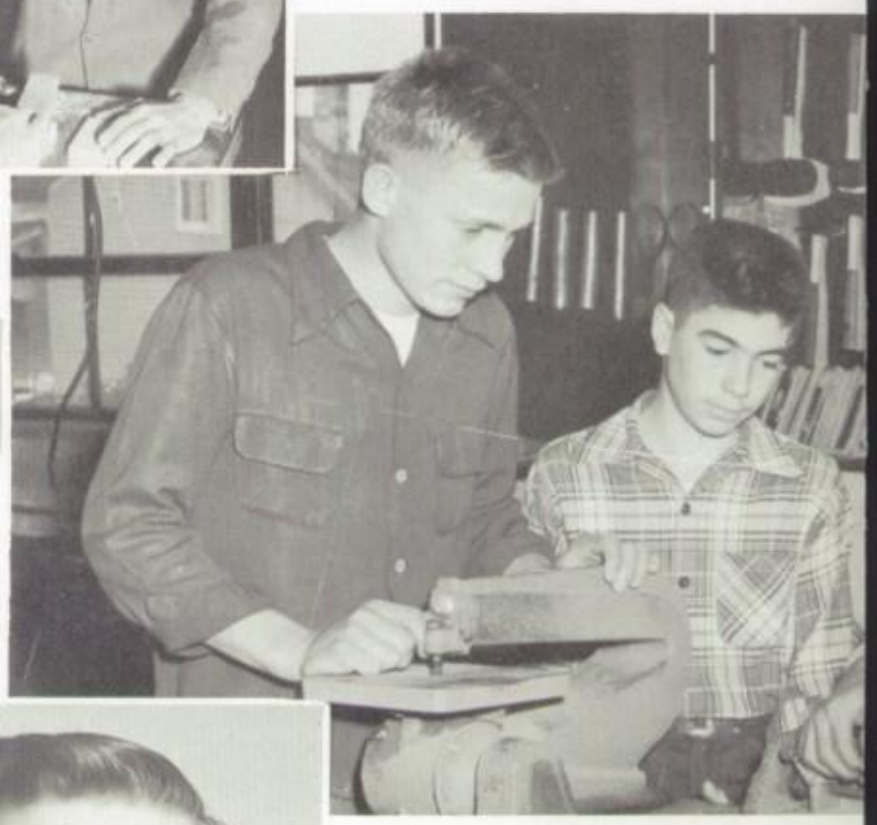
Mr. Bacon



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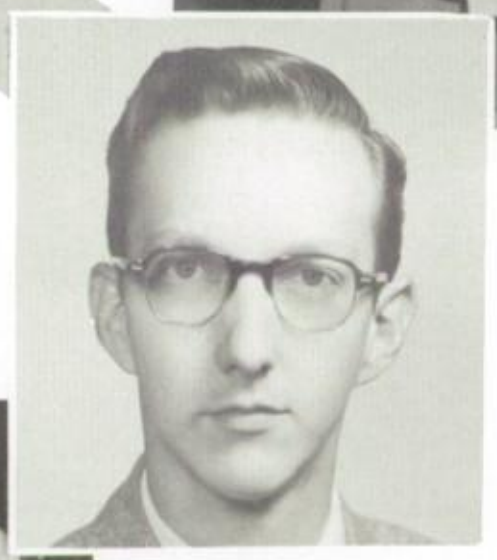

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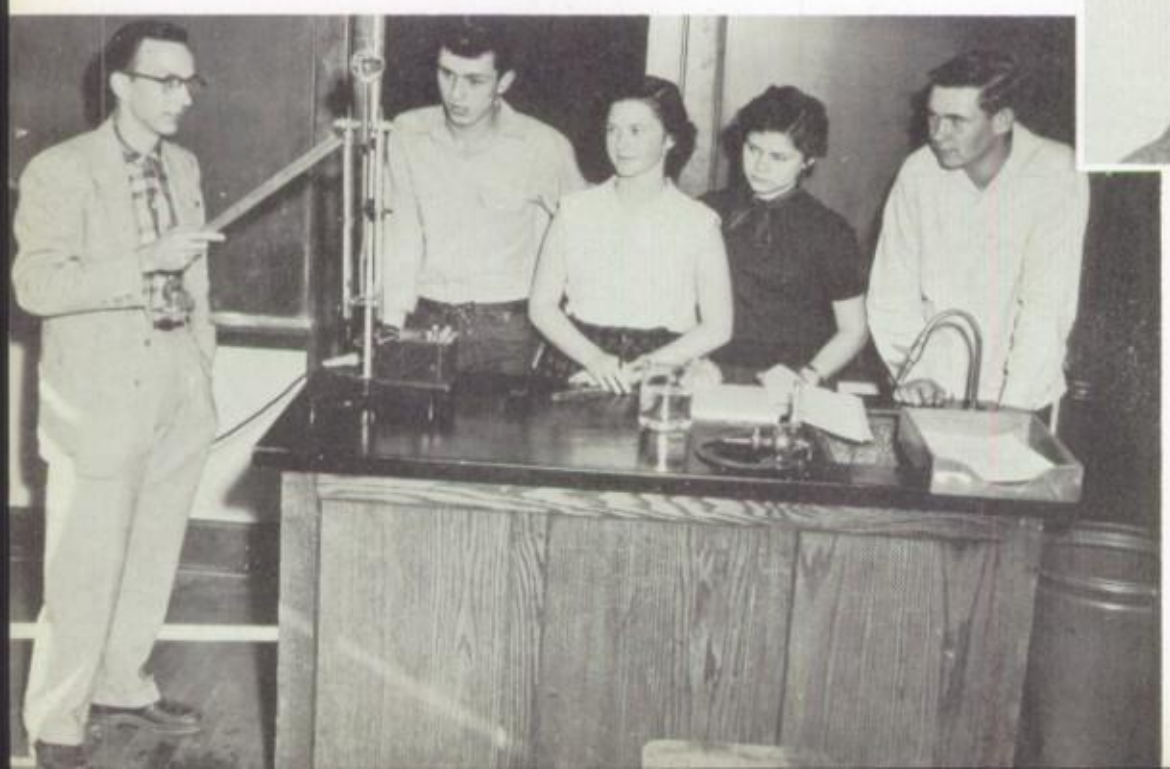

Freshman English

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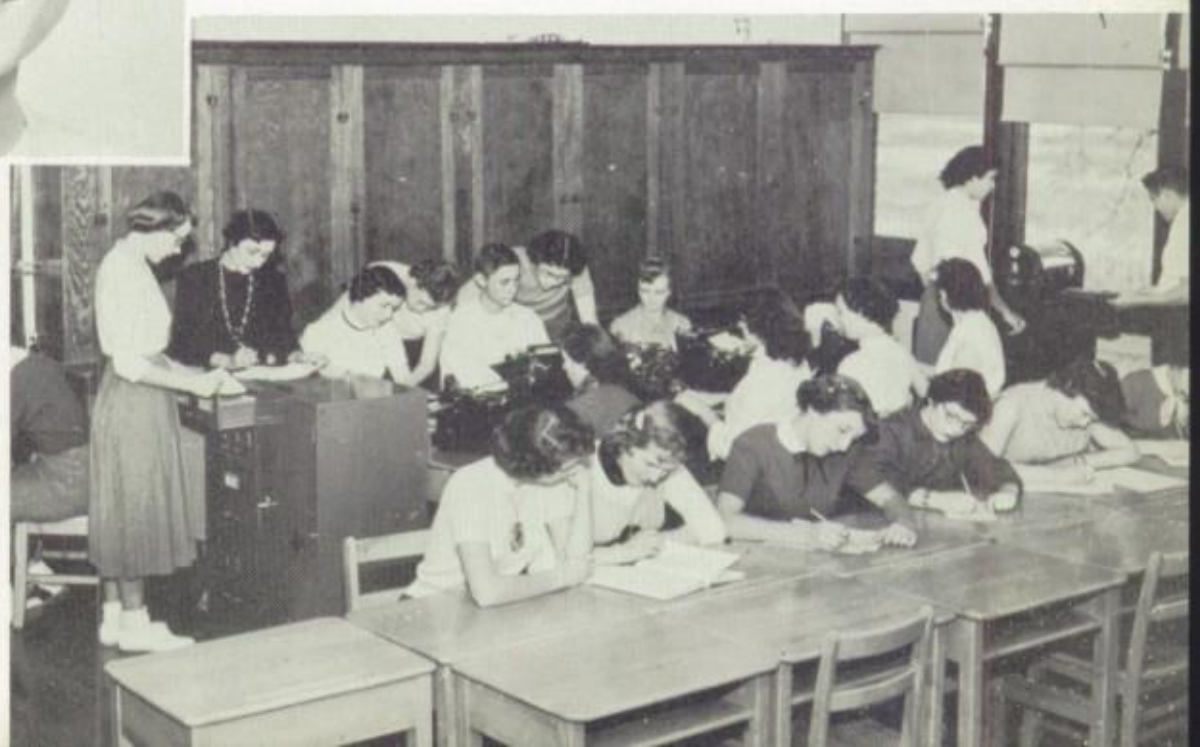
Class

Mrs. Town

Journalism Class



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PETER VAN HAFTEN WINS
ELECTION FOR S.C. 'PREXY'

THANKSGIVING

STUDENT COUNCIL

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FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

F. F. A. OFFICERS

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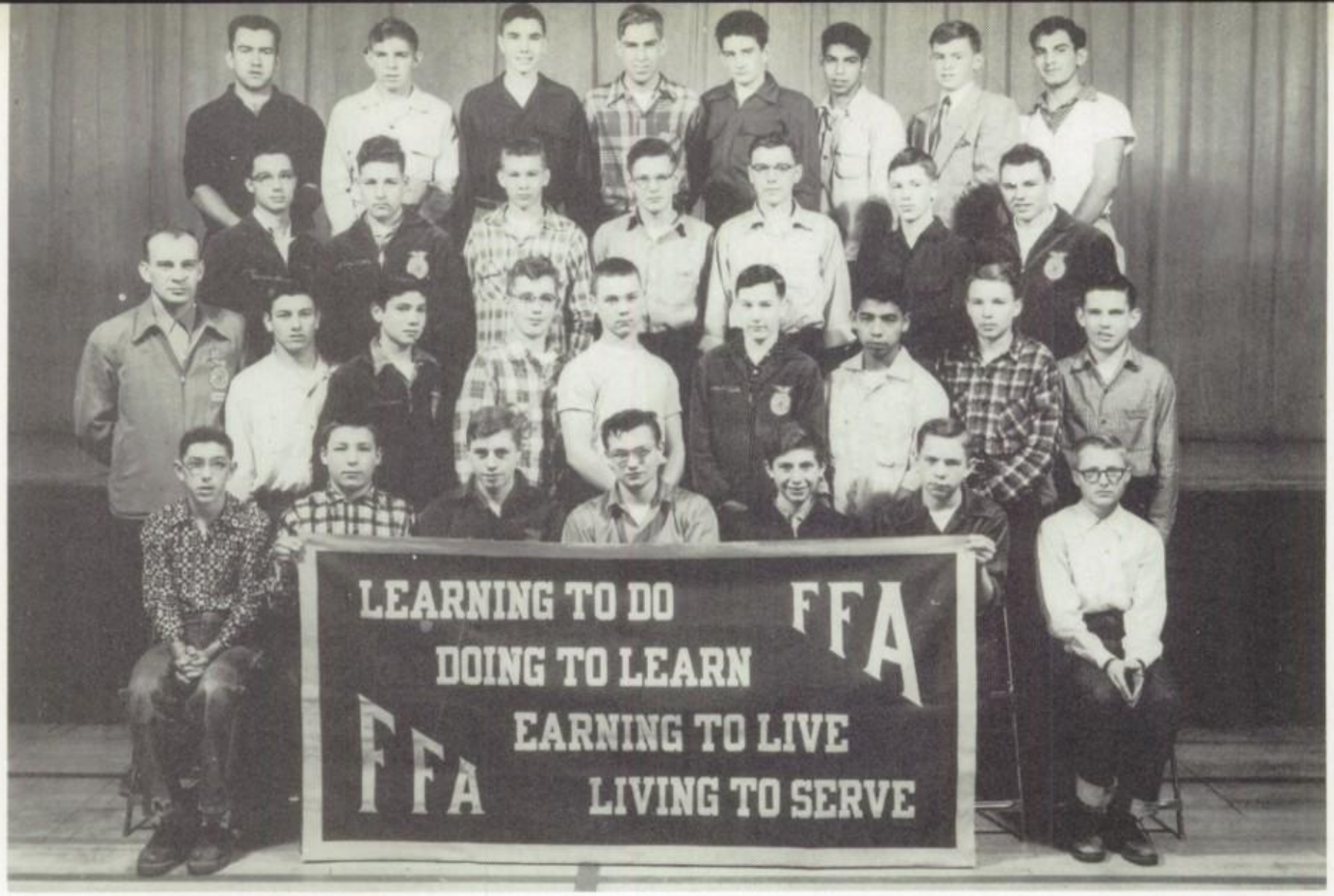
The FHA is one of the largest and most active clubs within my realm. Miss O'Malley, Adviser, and Mrs. Ruth Crawford, Chapter Mother, have directed the girls through a good year. Of their many activities these were the outstanding: The Annual FHA-FFA Pheasant Supper; at which the freshmen girls were initiated; work for the March of Dimes, the Mothers' Day Tea and Style Show, at which Mrs. Wave Granger, State FHA Adviser was honored guest; packing Christmas gifts for the Lapeer Home, and the Annual Penny Supper.

These FHAer's were also credited with State and Region Officers in their midst-Janice Federspiel, Region II secretary, 1953-1954; Colene Moore, State Parliamentarian, 1954-1955; Gladys Watson, Region II Chairman, 1954-1955; Mrs. Ruth Crawford, Region II Mother, 1954-1955.

Extensive work was done on Junior and Chapter Homemaker degrees. The Chapter also took a large part in planning and presenting the program at the State Convention held in Grand Rapids, April 14-15.

Miss O'Malley

Mrs. Crawford



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FUTURE FARMERS

I am well acquainted with the FFA as it has been an organization at Breckenridge High for 25 years.

The FFA started out with 73 members this year with their first project being the harvest of the FFA corn which netted over $100. The next project of these Future Farmers was the undertaking of the Christian Rural Overseas Program. The boys collected over $300. for the CROP drive.

This silver anniversary year saw the Future Farmers start a hog chain with three gilts of top grade Yorkshire hogs. Twelve members sold choice grade steers at the St. John's Auction.

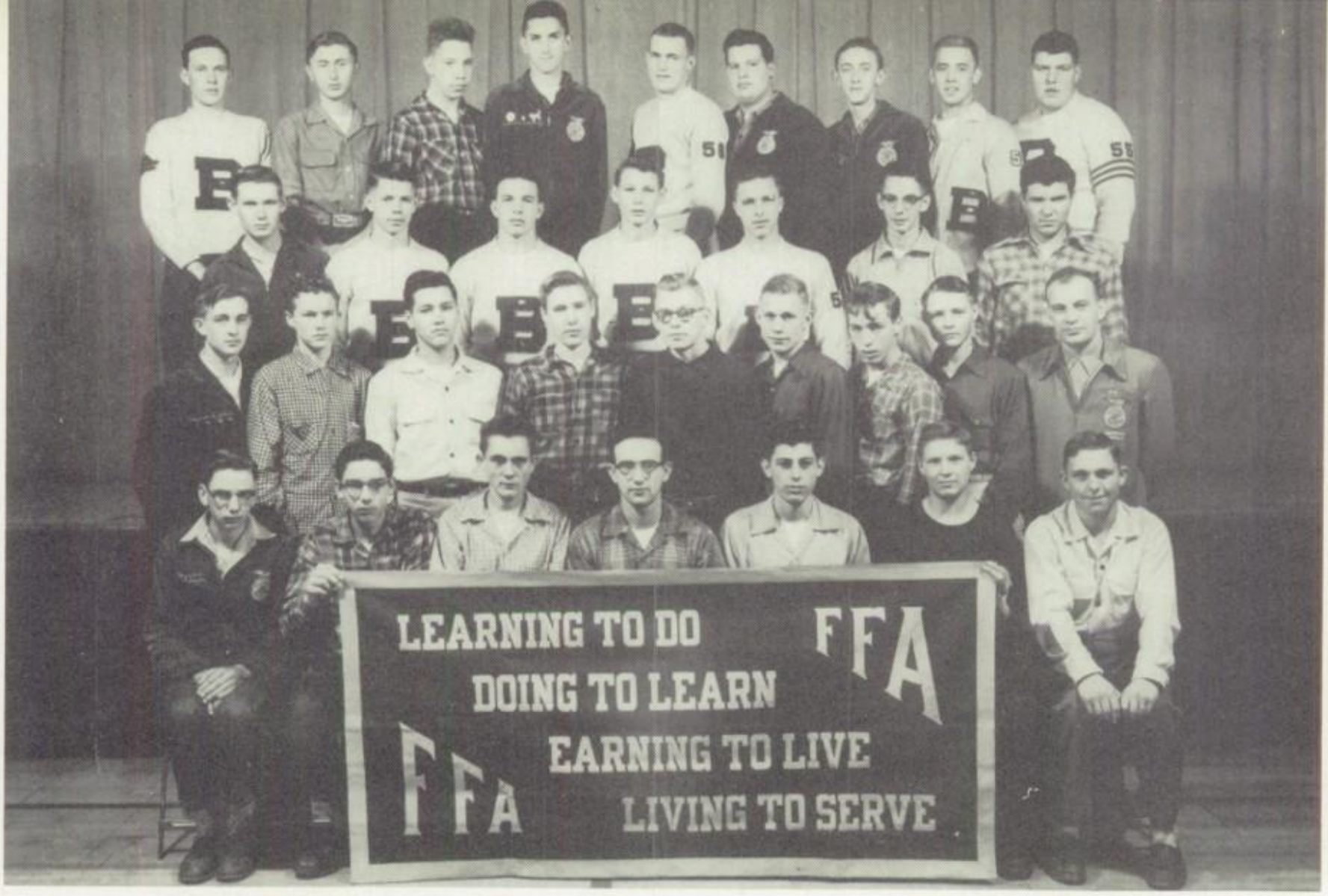
One of the usual big features of the year is the annual Pheasant Supper sponsored in co-operation with the FHA. This year the supper was a success with the program consisting of local talent. During the supper, Sam Cole, a local trucker, was added to the list of Honorary FFA members.

Starting shortly before Christmas the organization undertook its yearly pest control contest. Leroy Little placed first; Tom Moulton, second; and Lloyd Long, third in the contest.

Soon after Christmas vacation the FFA sponsored an ice skating party which was attended by about 75 students.

In the spring, the FFA held its first Father and Son Banquet. This event also proved a success and will undoubtedly be continued in the future.

Felix Ramirez, Jim Gillis, Duane Root, and Jerry Hollenbeck applied for FFA state Farmer Degrees during this year.



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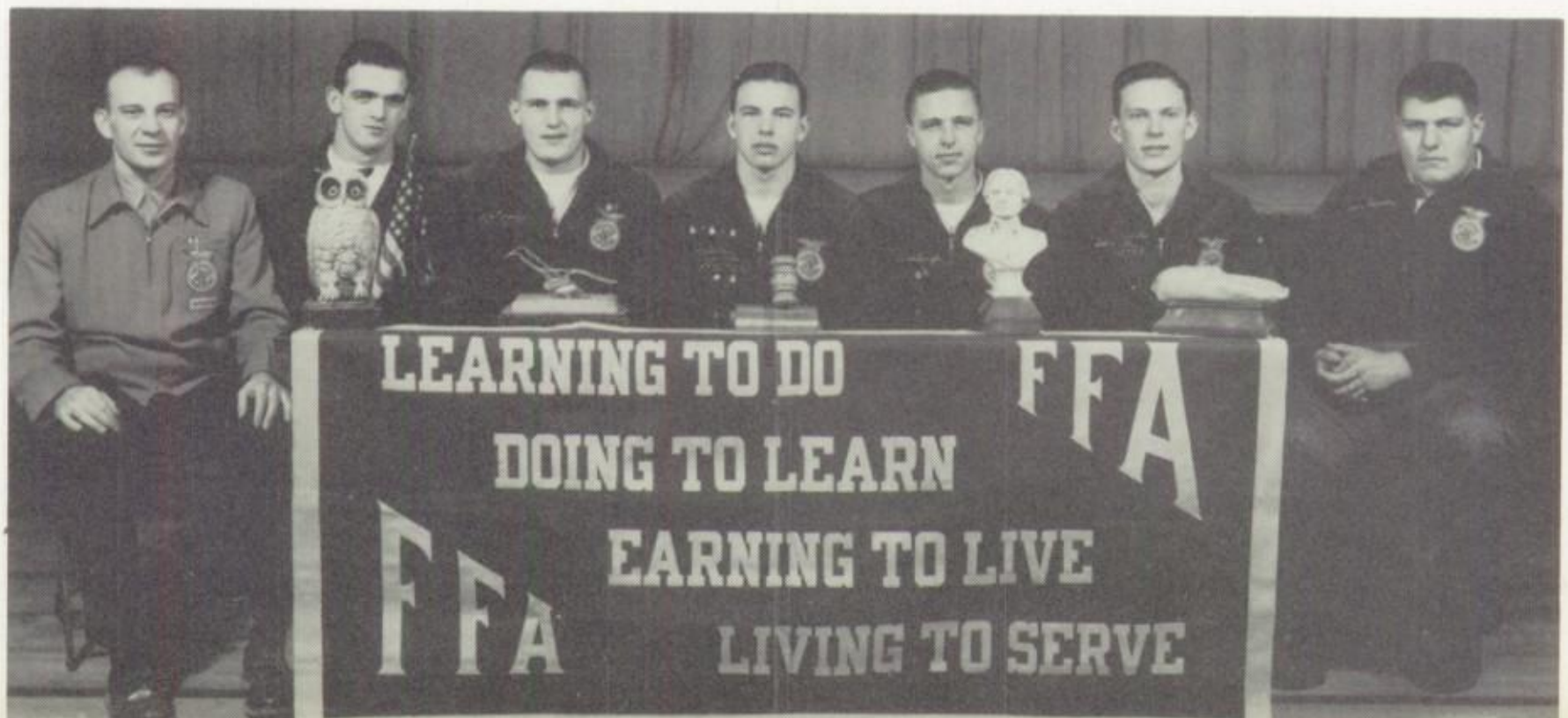

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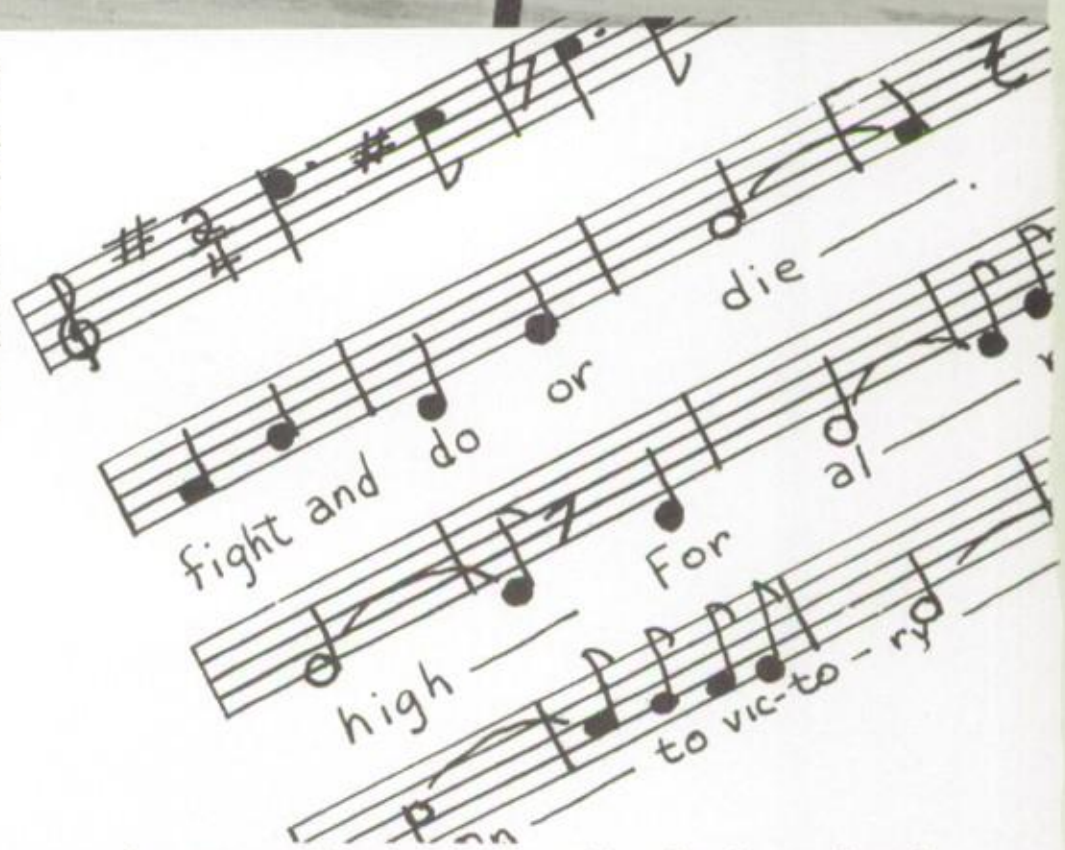
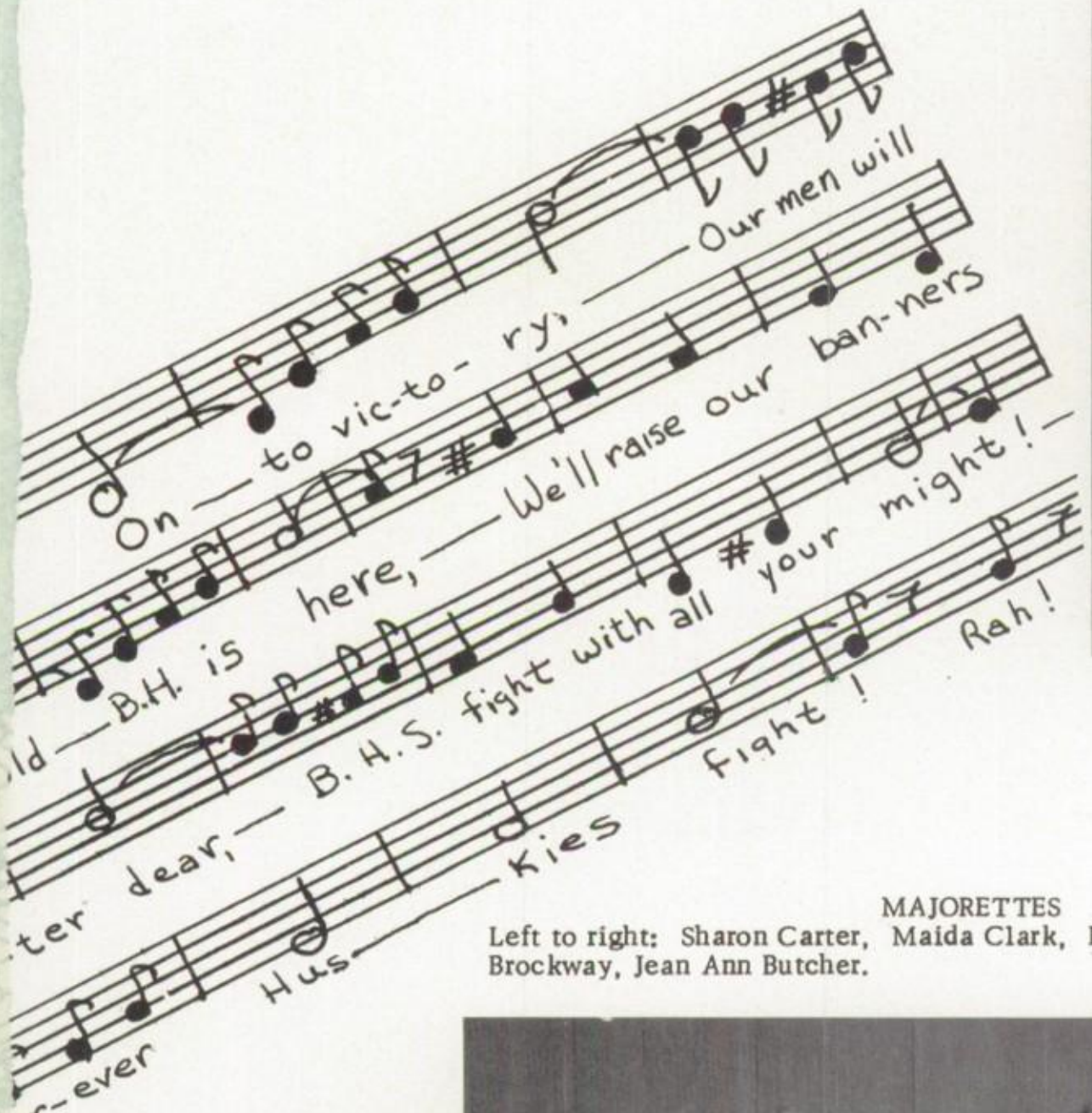


The Huskie musicmakers, 40 strong, have participated actively in school activities. The marching band presented half-time shows for five football games and during the basketball season, the pep band played for the home games.

This was the first year the marching band prepared novel formations for the half-time programs. There were several themes used and the most colorful were filmed by Vic Abbott, photographer.

On April 1, 1955, the Breckenridge band again gave their Annual Concert under the capable direction of Sam Gravitt. With the joint efforts of the band and the Parent-Teachers Association, the Third Annual Carnival on April 29 added a substantial amount to the treasury for purchase of new music, instruments, etc.

BAND



BAND DIRECTOR
Sam Gravitt

MAJORETTES
Left to right: Sharon Carter, Maida Clark, Helen Doty, Head Majorette; Sanda Brockway, Jean Ann Butcher.

Under the supervision of their advisor, Mrs. Pauline Town, and the head librarian, Joann Coleman, the librarians made, and put into effect, many new rules this year. Many new fiction and reference books were added to the newly built shelves. Juniors and seniors were the only students eligible to be an official librarian, while the sophomores were assistant librarians.

Top row, left to right-Mrs. Pauline Town, Bonnie Fisher, Nancy Rhoads, Lila Burtch, Pat Skolimoski, Marilyn McPherson, Ruth Ann Poindexter, Patty Zimmerman, Judy Marsh, Judy Millikan, Peggy Fisher, Gaila O'Boyle. Seated-Phyllis Weaver, Joann Coleman, Evelyn Hopkins.

LIBRARIANS

BIBLE CLUB

Top row, left to right-Billy Sines, Joe Sanger, Richard Lutz, Raymond Schaub. Second row-Pauline Schaub, Kay Vine, Joyce Cole, Joyce Huntoon, Karen English. Third row-Dorothy Lutz, Marilyn Schaub, Lila Burtch.

The Bible Club started in October, 1954 with only a few members. The Bible Club holds a meeting every Friday at 12:15. Every other week they invite a guest speaker and on alternate weeks a student is the speaker. Their motto is "United to Make the Gospel Known." Their officers are President Dorothy Lutz, Vice President Raymond Schaub, Secretary and Treasurer Karen English. Mrs. Martha Barnes is their advisor.

Mrs. Martha Barnes

Standing left to right-Janis Hook, Janice Benner, Joyce Wigglesworth, Janice Federspiel, Bonita Miller, Shirley Houlden, Marilyn McPerson, Ruth Ann Curtis, Barbara Markely, Nancy Rhoads, Lila Burtch, Mrs. Pauline Town, Advisor. Seated - Milton Wright, Rose Hrdlovich, John Childs, Jr., Peter Van Haften, Colene Moore, Ken Federspiel, Gene Neitzke.

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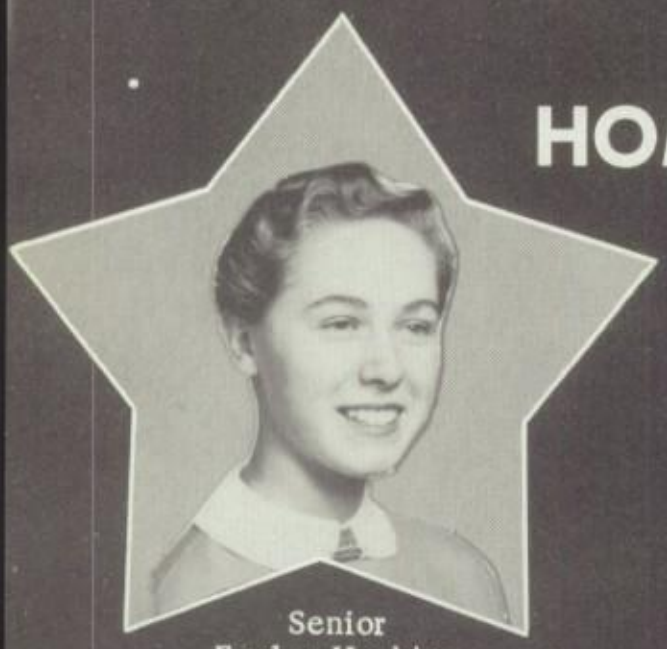
The Blue and Gold staff pulled together like a team in true Huskie fashion to make this a yearbook of lasting memories. The efforts they put forth to make this year's annual bigger and better were many.

They hope they have compiled it insuch a way that it will be interesting and entertaining to the students and alumni as well. So, after much toil and trouble, they present the finished product for your enjoyment and pleasant memories.

HOMECOMING QUEEN



Senior
Evelyn Hopkins

Senior
Joyce Wigglesworth

Eighth
Maida Clark

Junior
Lorraine Flauding

Sophomore
Gaila O'Boyle

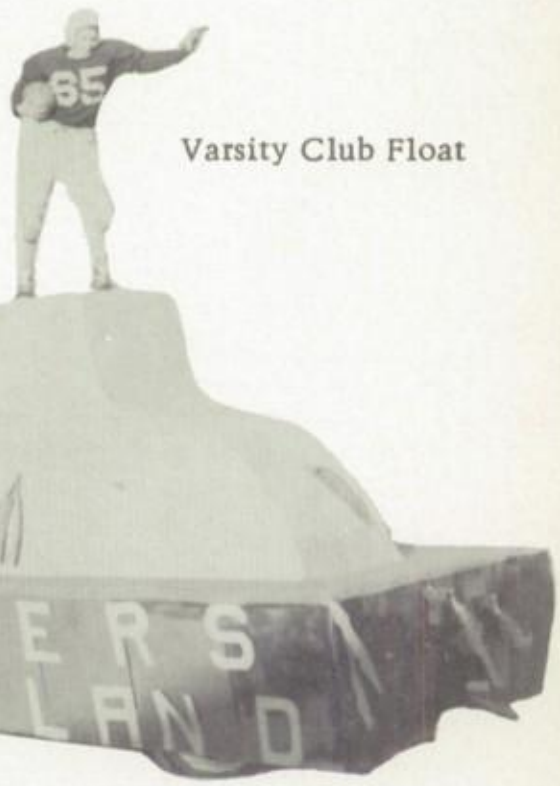
Rose Hrdlovich

Huskie Howler Float

Junior Entry

On October 22, at the half time program of the Fulton-Breckenridge Homecoming game Rose Hrdlovich was Crowned Queen of the Homecoming festivities. Football captain Adrain Sanchez had the honor of crowning the queen. Some of the many floats tickled my sides with laughter while some were very beautiful.

The FHA, Freshman class, and the Farmer's Elevator all submitted prize winning floats and were each awarded five dollars, prize money, from the Student Council. This year the Annual Homecoming dance was combined with the Alumni Ball which proved a great success. Both the Fulton and Breckenridge Bands marched in the parade.



Varsity Club Float

Freshman Prizewinner

Senior Entry

Sophomore Float

Dale Howard pinning a fraternity pin on John Childs after getting him to pledge Beta Chi. Others looking on (left to right) are Joann Coleman, Evelyn Hopkins, Ruth Ann Curtis, Marilyn McPherson, Bob Marsh, Pete Van Haften, and Joyce Wigglesworth.

SENIOR PLAY-BOTTOMS UP

The true "Huskie spirit" was shown in the senior play "Bottoms Up", a three act college comedy which was presented Nov. 19, 1954 under the direction of Mrs. Pauline Town who was assisted by Lila Burtch, Marilyn Kennett, and Tom Bayes.

The plot centered around the circumstances that resulted when the dean's niece, Betty Warren (Phyllis Weaver), changed the answers on "campus queen", Linda Howard's (Joyce Wigglesworth) chemistry test. Linda becomes ineligible for queen but Billy Drake (Dale Howard), president of Beta Chi and his friend (Pete Van Haften) rush to the rescue and finally convince Dixie Lee (Sally Ray), "strictly from Dixie", to tell the Dean of Student Affairs (Colene Moore), that Betty changed the answers to Linda's paper.

At the same time Bill Drake gets "the brain" Algernon Higgens (John Childs), to pledge their fraternity in order to raise the house scholastic average. Algernon, during his initiation is forced to act as a girl and do many embarrassing things although he is very girl shy. He finally gets over being afraid of girls and escorts Linda to the Prom.

Others in the cast include George Harper (Bob Marsh), a soda jerk; Connie Bishop (Rose Hrdlovich), editor of the "Scandal Sheet," Miss Cartwright (Janice Federspiel), the deans secretary; Hector (Phillip Scholl), a fresh freshman who carried a torch for Dotty Wilson, (Marilyn McPherson), a dumb dora; and three coeds, Julia Edwards (Ruth Ann Curtis), Kate Adams (Joann Coleman), and Alice Lane (Evelyn Hopkins), who spend most of their time at the Union snack bar.

Students who attended the prom were Joyce Snell, Larry Miller, Bonnie Fisher, and Adrain Sanchez.

JUNIOR PLAY-BEAUTY AND THE BEEF

This year I attended the performance of "Beauty and the Beef", a three act comedy by William Davidson, which was presented by the junior class on April 15, 1955. The play was a huge success under the capable direction of Mrs. Pauline Town and student directors, Dorothy Lutz and Harriet Weburg.

The plot included what happens when Ginny Allen (Maxine Gross), a pretty girl who is the smartest girl ever to graduate from the "Junior Quiz program", meets the captain of the football team, Beef (Lloyd Curtis), who isn't so smart in the classroom and doesn't want a girl with brains.

Other characters in the play were George Allen (Phillip Bartlett) and Laura Allen (Madelyn Rowe), Ginny's kind parents; Lester Allen (Milton Wright), Ginny's brother who is looking for a drum to play in the school band; Professor Barton (Larry Sensabaugh), the principal; Professor Barton's daughter Franny (Susan Crawford) who has her eye on Foggy Ryan (Chuck Sklener); Molly Woods (Beverly Weburg) who has the bass drum that Lester needs; Miss Bigby (Lorraine Flauding) a teacher; members of the football team included Scaffold (Le-Roy Hynes); Steve (Larry Shimer); Bubbles (Jerome Rohde); and the three cheerleaders, Betty (Carolyn Furgason); Dot (Leona Kennedy); and Mitzi (Judy Millikan); a pretty majorette, Barbara (Nancy Rhoads), Dr. Spencer (Agnes Zsoter), an obstetrician; and Wallace Woods (Frances Whitney), Molly's father.

Extras included Judith Shingleton, Shirley Houlden, Duane English, Duane Carlson, June Qualls, Jerry Short, and Donna Neitzke.

It all turned out to be human, heart-warming, and full of laughter.

Second act--Bubbles suffers from the effects of some medicine which was given to him and the rest of the football team so they would become sick and therefore make it necessary to postpone the football game until Beef would be re-instated after a week's dismissal.

Back row (left to right)-Valdo Shankel, Chuck Sklener, Don French, Phillip Bartlett, Evert Giles, Phillip Scholl, Cyril Holmes, Duane Root, Bob Williams. Second row-Felipe Sanchez, John Childs, Marvin Juhas, Duane English, Gary Mayle, Duane Carlson, Jim Gillis, Dale Howard, Bill Francetic, Coach, Paul Southerland. Front row-Junior Sanchez, Bob Marsh, Gene Neitzke, Phillip Huntoon, Adrain Sanchez, Larry Miller, Larry Sensabaugh, Gerald O'Boyle.

VARSITY CLUB

The members of the Varsity Club have participated in the major sports of BHS and have been awarded at least one varsity letter.

The organization sponsored a donkey basketball game and handled the pop sales until the machine was removed.

With funds from the pop sales the club bought a new trophy to replace the Chisholm award which ran out last year and also purchased track uniforms which were badly needed.

The club was guided through the year by Adrain Sanchez, president; Larry Miller, vice-president; Phillip Huntoon, secretary-treasurer; Coach Paul Southerland and Coach Harol Beisel, advisors.

THE CHAMPION OF SPORTS

HUSKIE

Top row (left to right)-Adrian Sanchez, Bob Williams, Evert Giles, Phillip Scholl, Larry Sensabaugh. Second row-Jerry Hollenbeck, Duane Root, Phillip Bartlett, Cyril Holmes, Don French, Coach Southerland. Third-Valdo Shankel, Phillip Huntoon, Gary Mayle, Jim Gillis, Chuck Sklener, Duane Warner. Bottom row-Gene Neitzke, Junior Sanchez, Genaro Gonzales, Marvin Juhas, Dale Howard, Bill Francetic, Bob Marsh.

Varsity Football

I was very proud to be the mascot of the Breckenridge Varsity team in "54" since they had a winning season with a 3-2 won-lost conference record.

The team was composed of sixteen seniors, four juniors, and one sophomore.

In the season's first game with Edmore we came from behind to win 19-6. The first conference game was with Merrill and after a halftime score of 13-0 in favor of Merrill, BHS scored two touchdowns to win 14-13. The next game was with Hemlock, hands-down by the score of 35-7.

After winning the first four games BHS hit a rough spot and lost the next three. In the Homecoming game with Fulton the team suffered their first loss of the season, 6-0 and in their last conference game they were outplayed by St. Charles 12-0. This put Breckenridge in third place.

The last game of the season was played at Beaverton with Coach Paul Southerland's boys on the losing end of a 24-13 score.

The high scorer for the season was Adrian Sanchez with 35 points. He was followed by Junior Sanchez, 28; Phil Huntoon, 12; Jerry Hollenbeck, 12; Evert Giles, 6; and Chuck Sklener, 3.

Adrian Sanchez was selected by his teammates as the most valuable player of the year and was awarded the Varsity Club plaque at the annual Football Banquet on November 10.

The Junior Varsity team, composed of underclassmen, won one game, tied two, and lost three.

In their first game they fought to a scoreless tie with Hemlock. Then they traveled to Fulton for their only win of the season when Larry Sensabaugh and Gaylord Smith each scored a touchdown to win 13-0. The worst defeat suffered was a 19-0 beating by the hands of Ithaca. They then entertained the Shepherd Bluejays and the Shepherd boys took home a 13-0 victory. The last game was a return engagement with Hemlock who won 6-0.

Junior Varsity Football

Top row, left to right-Joe Martinez, Marlyn Foster, Tom Whiting, Duane English, Dean Giles. Second row-Coach Harol Beisel, Harold Juhas, Duane Ray, Frances Whitney, Wesley Bott, Duane Carlson, Lawrence Morrison. Third row-Norman Phillips, Art Rocheleau, Russell Cook, Dale Joley, Jerry French, Howard Benner. Bottom row-Lyle Bott, Larry Roth, Norman Ancel, Gaylord Smith, Vernon Stonerock, Leroy Knoertzer, Gale Schlonegar.

HEROES

Coach
Paul Southerland

Chuck Skeiner

Don French

Larry Miller

Phil Scholl

BASKETBALL

Nov.	30	Coleman	31	BHS	32	Jan.	21	Fulton*	63	BHS	49
Dec.	3	Fulton*	61	BHS	43	Jan.	25	Ithaca	63	BHS	46
Dec.	7	Edmore	61	BHS	50	Jan.	28	Hemlock*	82	BHS	64
Dec.	10	Hemlock*	70	BHS	39	Feb.	4	Seminary*	76	BHS	58
Dec.	14	Seminary*	59	BHS	45	Feb.	8	Ithaca	62	BHS	51
Dec	21	St. Louis	67	BHS	40	Feb.	11	St. Charles*	52	BHS	47
Jan.	7	St. Charles*	66	BHS	39	Feb.	18	Merrill*	64	BHS	78
Jan.	14	Merrill*	63	BHS	57	Feb.	22	Coleman	49	BHS	59
		Mar. 3		Edmore T	50			BHS 49			

* Conference game
T Tournament game

Jr. Sanchez

Valdo Shankel

Ewert Giles

Kurt Patermund

Absent-Duane Warner.

Junior Varsity

Left to right-Larry Roth, Larry Clark, Marlyn Foster, Duane English, Phillip Bartlett, Coach Harol Beisel, Duane Carlson, Wesley Bott, Dean Giles, Howard Benner, Tom Segovia, Jack Cross, Manager.

Front row, left to right-Junior Sanchez, Larry Miller, Genaro Ganzales, Adrain Sanchez, Larry Roth. Back row-Larry Clark, Phillip Scholl, Jim Gillis, Evert Giles, Coach Paul Southerland, Don French, Valdo Shankel, Chuck Sklener, Duane Carlson, Bob Williams.

BASEBALL TEAM

My Huskie baseball team started off a good season by playing their first conference game, April 21, with Hemlock on the Hemlock field. April 28 found the team in Saginaw, playing Michigan Lutheran Seminary.

The first home conference game was with Fulton, May 5, on home ground and on May 9 BHS traveled to St. Charles to play the fourth conference game of the season. The Huskies also played two non-conference games with Ithaca, April 18 and 25. Our second and final home game on May 19 with Merrill concluded the year's sport season at BHS.

I could well be proud of my fleet-footed track boys. They placed in the Central Relays in Mt. Pleasant, April 29 as well as the conference track meet at Arthur Hill High School in Saginaw on May 10. They also participated in two track meets in Midland, May 4 and 10.

Duane English practicing for running the mile.

Phillip Bartlett leading the mile run at the conference Track Meet, May 10.

Evert Giles running against Bob Williams, of Fulton, in the relay race at the Track Meet, May 10.

Larry Miller getting ready for the relay race at the Central Relays, April 29.

Cheerleaders (left to right)-Rose Hrdlovich, Phyllis Weaver, Marilyn Kennett.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

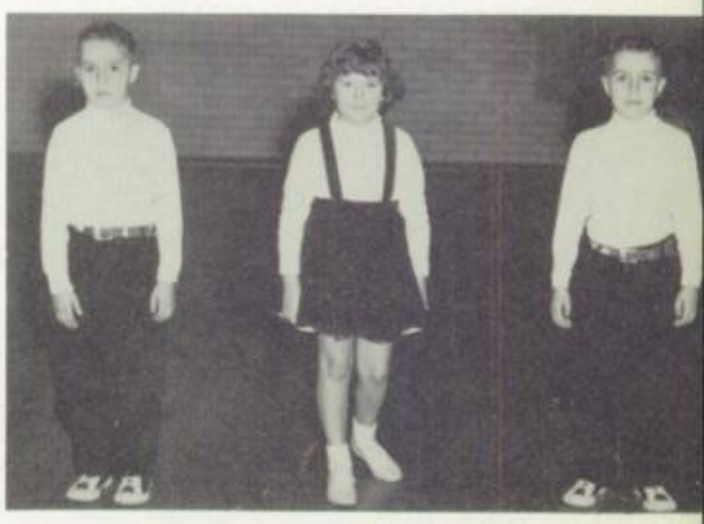
The cheerleaders worked together at the football games, but worked separately at the basketball games, each leading cheers for its own team.

During the football season the girls had megaphones to use, which helped a great deal. They did a fine job of keeping up the school spirit.

Two new cheers were introduced this year that I enjoyed very much. One cheer was built around the bunny-hop dance while the other was a traditional pep cheer.

Many unique pep meetings were presented during the year; some of these featured contests and skits.

One of the highlights of the year was the snake dance and mammoth pep meeting which took place at the old athletic field on the night before the Homecoming game.



JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Mascots - Gene Mayle, Janie Abbot, Dean Mayle.

Cheerleaders (left to right)-Judy Radabaugh, Brenda Shingleton, Sue Lynn Lawton, Suzanne Swope.

Joyce Wigglesworth
Guard

Judy Radabaugh
Guard

Carolyn Furgason
Guard

Basketball

Dec.	15	Ithaca
Jan.	12	Hemlock
Jan.	19	St. Charles
Jan.	26	Hemlock
Feb.	4	Ithaca
Feb.	9	St. Charles
Feb.	16	Fulton
Feb.	23	Fulton

GIRLS BASKETBALL

With five returning varsity members coach Pat O'Malley's basketball team finished the season with four wins and four losses. I watched the Hemlock and St. Charles games with great pleasure as my team came out on top twice after exciting overtime playing. Was I proud to be mascot of this crackerjack team!

The four senior varsity members who rotated captaincy were; Evelyn Hopkins, Joyce Wigglesworth, Rose Hrdlovich, and Janice Federspiel.

The five returning varsity members were; Carolyn Furgason, Joyce Wigglesworth, Evelyn Hopkins, Rose Hrdlovich, and Janice Federspiel.

Colene Moore was chosen manager and Karen Rotermund assistant manager.

The team's spirits were sparked by the cheerleaders, Ruth Ann Poindexter, Patty Zimmerman, Peggy Fisher, and Judy Marsh.

G. A. A.

The Girls Athletic Association was organized in 1952. The members of this club are the letter winners in any athletic activity. The G AA sponsors girls basketball and softball games. This year the officers are: Janice Federspiel, president; Rose Hrdlovich, vice president; Joan Hopkins, treasurer; and Gladys Watson, secretary. Patricia O'Malley is the club advisor.

Evelyn Hopkins
Forward

Janice Federspiel
Forward

Rose Hrdlovich
Forward

Schedule

OPPONENT	BHS
36	42
43	36
54	55
48	50
55	35
33	30
40	18
35	50

Coach Patricia O'Malley

First row, left to right-Margaret Gross, Gaila O'Boyle, Rose Hrdlovich, Janice Federspiel, Gladys Watson, Joan Hopkins, Vicky Cooley, Judy Clark. Second row-Judy Marsh, Judy Briggs, Judy Radabaugh, Retha Crosby, Donna Neitzke, Beverly Weburg, Evelyn Hopkins, Janis Hook. Third row-Sue Lawton, Maxine Gross, Barbara Dossen, Joyce Wigglesworth, Sue Crawford, Suzanne Swope, Lois Holmes, Kathleen Jackel. Fourth row-Nancy Rhoads, Marilyn Furgason, Bonita Miller, Rosemary Whiting, Marilyn McPherson, Carolyn Furgason, Jackie Watson, Ann Colbry, Judith Shingleton.

Miss O'Malley and a few of the senior girls who went to a tea at Alma College on October 27.

Um!--another delicious FFA-FHA Pheasant Supper. This annual event was October 28, 1954.

What a beautiful rainbow! Many students and alumni enjoyed the lavish decorations at the Jr.-Sr. Prom May 28, 1954.

Well, isn't this cozy! Edith Ann Hynes and Tom Moulton seem to be getting along fine. Maybe just because it was Freshman Initiation last October 1.

Off to another class. At least Bonnie Fisher, JoAnn Coleman, and Dale Howard are on their way.

Roger Halstead and Mary Ann Little don't seem to be getting far in spite of all their paddling at Freshman Initiation on October 1.

Looks like these BHS students were having fun at this Varsity Party on January 11. These girls are GAA members.

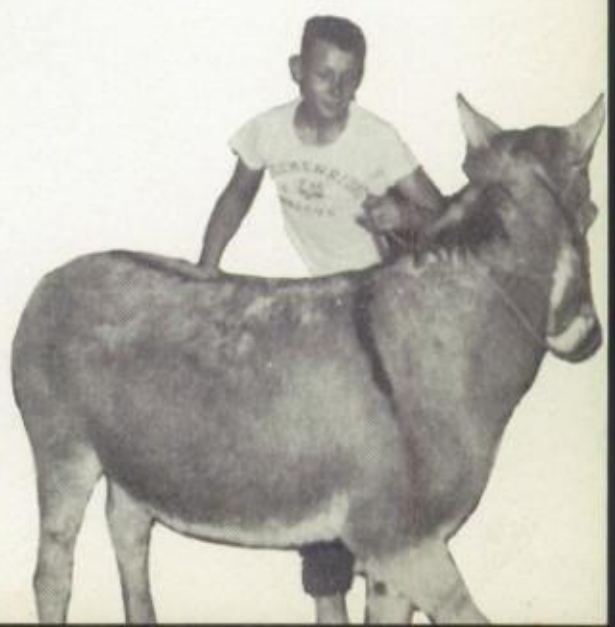
Victory, victory is our cry. That is probably what these BHS students were yelling as the snake dance wound through the Breckenridge streets October 21, 1954.

"Somewhere Over the Rainbow" was the theme of this lovely Jr.-Sr. Prom which was held May 28, 1954.

Marilyn Kennett, Rose Hrdlovich, Evelyn Hopkins, and Phyllis Weaver discussing an apparently interesting subject at the Study Hall desk.

Janice Federspiel receiving a trophy for Journalism awards at the last Journalism Day in Alma on November 20, 1954.

Duane Carlson and his friend in a nice friendly donkey basketball game which took place January 4, 1955.



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FAREWELL . . .

The Huskie, our mascot, has tried to give you a glimpse of Breckenridge High School in these pages. We sincerely hope you have enjoyed looking over this 1955 yearbook and that for some of you it may help preserve wonderful memories of days spent at Breckenridge.

May the wonderful fellowship and spirit which has carried through this year remain here always.

Pete Van Haften, editor-in-chief
Pauline Town, adviser.